

FPP4EU Collaboration Platform Workshop

Date and time: 30 March 2023; 10.00-15.00 CET

Venue: Thon Hotel EU, Brussels, meeting room: Germany

REGISTRATION including coffee starts at 09.30CET

Time	Content
10:00	Welcome <i>Marco Mensink, Cefic DG</i>
10:10	The PFAS restriction proposal explained by the dossier submitters <i>Norwegian Environment Agency, Dr Audun Heggelund, Senior Adviser, Section for Chemicals</i>
10:55	Q&A session <i>Panel of dossiers submitters</i> <i>Moderated by Marleen Pauwels, Cefic</i>
12:00	LUNCH
13:00	PFAS downstream users' views on the restriction proposal • "A DIGITAL View on the PFAS restriction" – <i>Kim Jansen, DIGITALEUROPE</i> • "Safety vs Regulation?" – <i>Triin Kaup, EURATEX</i> • "PFAS in the medical technologies sector - MedTech Europe's preliminary views on the Restriction pre-publication" – <i>Roumiana Santos, MedTech Europe</i> • "The Unique Role of Fluoropolymers in Sealing Devices" – <i>Mark Neal, European Sealing Association</i> • Questions for downstream users
14:10	COFFEE BREAK
14:20	PFAS producers'/large users' views on the restriction proposal • "Fluoropolymers comments on the PFAS REACH restriction" – <i>Nicolas Robin, Plastics Europe Fluoropolymer Product Group (FPG)</i> • "Universal PFAS restriction and possible impact on F-gases" – <i>Elisa Consoli, European FluoroCarbon Technical Committee (EFCTC)</i> • "Universal PFAS restriction and FPP4EU views" – <i>Patricia Muñoz, FluoroProducts and PFAS for Europe (FPP4EU)</i> • Questions for producers/ large users
14:55	Wrap-up and event closure by Jonathan Crozier, Chair of FPP4EU Advocacy and Communication WG

Aim

- Open a constructive dialogue
- Convey difficulties encountered when trying to contribute to the process
- Understand the restriction process
- Understand the data needs

Format of the meeting

Before lunch: authorities provide their views on the restriction and answer questions from participants*

After lunch: participants provide practical issues with the restriction and answer questions from authorities and other participants

* questions to authorities posted through the chat and asked by moderator

Some ground rules for the participants, please refrain from

- Starting detailed scientific discussion on specific substances
- Challenging the scientific or personal integrity of the speakers
- Challenging the legal grounds of the restriction